Wisconsin Business Council

Total Lobbying Effort

Total Lobbying Expenditures

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	\$6,411.86	\$15,919.80		\$22,331.66

Total Hours Communicating

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	16.00	16.10		32.10

Total Hours Other

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	3.80	31.00		34.80

Hours Lobbied on Each Matter

Lobbying Effort On Legislative Bills And Resolutions

Senate Bill 273

Relating to: creation of renewable resource credits by electric providers and granting rule-making authority.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	6.00 (30%)	2.00 (5%)		8.00 (12%)

Senate Bill 409

Relating to: a postsecondary education tax credit for businesses; increasing annual limits on angel investment tax credits; awarding grants to the WSys Technology Foundation, Inc.; business plan competitions and an emerging technology center in the University of Wsconsin System; rural outsourcing grants; requiring the Department of Commerce to award grants to a high-technology business development corporation and grants for converting manufacturing facilities; increasing funding for certain economic development programs; a pilot program providing microloans for the creation of new businesses; increasing funding for certain technical college training program grants; providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures; granting rule-making authority, and making appropriations.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	5.00 (25%)	3.00 (6%)		8.00 (12%)

Assembly Bill 532

Relating to: directing the Department of Commerce to award grants to community development corporations to establish capital access programs, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		1.00 (2%)		1.00 (1%)

Assembly Bill 605

Relating to: authorizing two or more cities, villages, towns, or counties, or a combination of such political subdivisions, to create a commission to issue conduit revenue bonds and exercise eminent domain authority and exempting from taxation interest on such bonds.

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	2.00 (5%)		2.00 (3%)
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Assembly Bill 641

Relating to: a postsecondary education tax credit for businesses; increasing annual limits on angel investment tax credits; awarding grants to the WSys Technology Foundation, Inc.; business plan competitions and an emerging technology center in the University of Wisconsin System; rural outsourcing grants; requiring the Department of Commerce to award grants to a high-technology business development corporation and grants for converting manufacturing facilities; increasing funding for certain economic development programs; a pilot program providing microloans for the creation of new businesses; increasing funding for certain technical college training program grants; providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures; granting rule-making authority, and making appropriations.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		2.00 (5%)		2.00 (3%)

Senate Bill 440

Relating to: waiving certain federal bond limitations allocated to cities and counties and requiring the Department of Commerce to develop a system for reallocating the bond limitations to other state and local units of government.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		7.00 (15%)		7.00 (10%)

Assembly Bill 696

Relating to: authority of the Public Service Commission over certain telecommunications utilities, telecommunications access charges, universal service fund contributions based on interconnected voice over Internet protocol service, tandem switching provider electronic call records, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		3.00 (6%)		3.00 (4%)

Assembly Bill 767

Relating to: changes to the membership of the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, notification to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board of bills with an economic impact on small businesses, and the role of the Office of the Small Business Advocate in the Department of Commerce.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		2.00 (5%)		2.00 (3%)

Assembly Bill 643

Relating to: waiving certain federal bond limitations allocated to cities and counties and requiring the Department of Commerce to develop a system for reallocating the bond limitations to other state and local units of government.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		5.00 (10%)		5.00 (7%)

Assembly Bill 649

Relating to: goals for reductions in greenhouse gas emissions, for construction of zero net energy buildings and for energy conservation; information, analyses, reports, education, and training concerning greenhouse gas emissions and climate change; energy efficiency and renewable resource programs; renewable energy requirements of electric utilities and retail cooperatives; requiring electric utilities to purchase renewable energy from certain renewable facilities in their service territories; authority of the Public Service Commission over nuclear power plants; motor vehicle emission limitations; a low carbon standard for transportation fuels; the brownfield site assessment grant program, the main street program, the brownfields grant program, the forward innovation fund, grants to local governments for planning activities, the transportation facilities economic assistance and development program, a model parking ordinance; surface transportation planning by the Department of Transportation and metropolitan planning organizations to reduce greenhouse gas emissions; environmental evaluations for transportation projects; idling limits for certain vehicles; energy conservation codes for public buildings, places of employment, one- and two-family dwellings, and agricultural facilities; design standards for state buildings; energy efficiency standards for certain consumer audio and video devices, boiler inspection requirements; greenhouse gas emissions and energy use by certain state agencies and state assistance to school districts in achieving energy efficiencies; creating an exception to local levy limits for amounts spent on energy efficiency measures; creating an energy crop reserve program; identification of private forest land, promoting sequestration of carbon in forests, qualifying practices and cost-share requirements under the forest grant program established by the Department of Natural Resources; air pollution permits for certain stationary sources reducing greenhouse gas emissions; allocating a portion of existing taxexempt industrial development revenue bonding to clean energy manufacturing facilities and renewable power generating facilities; requiring a report on certain programs to limit greenhouse gas emissions; granting rule-making authority, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		7.00 (15%)		7.00 (10%)

Senate Bill 450

Relating to: goals for reductions in greenhouse gas emissions, for construction of zero net energy buildings and for energy conservation; information, analyses, reports, education, and training concerning greenhouse gas emissions and climate change; energy efficiency and renewable resource programs; renewable energy requirements of electric utilities and retail cooperatives; requiring electric utilities to purchase renewable energy from certain renewable facilities in their service territories; authority of the Public Service Commission over nuclear power plants; motor vehicle emission limitations; a low carbon standard for transportation fuels; the brownfield site assessment grant program, the main street program, the brownfields grant program, the forward innovation fund, grants to local governments for planning activities, the transportation facilities economic assistance and development program, a model parking ordinance; surface transportation planning by the Department of Transportation and metropolitan planning organizations to reduce greenhouse gas emissions; environmental evaluations for transportation projects; idling limits for certain vehicles; energy conservation codes for public buildings, places of employment, one- and two-family dwellings, and agricultural facilities; design standards for state buildings: energy efficiency standards for certain consumer audio and video devices, boiler inspection requirements: greenhouse gas emissions and energy use by certain state agencies and state assistance to school districts in achieving energy efficiencies; creating an exception to local levy limits for amounts spent on energy efficiency measures; creating an energy crop reserve program; identification of private forest land, promoting sequestration of carbon in forests, qualifying practices and cost-share requirements under the forest grant program established by the Department of Natural Resources; air pollution permits for certain stationary sources reducing greenhouse gas emissions; allocating a portion of existing taxexempt industrial development revenue bonding to clean energy manufacturing facilities and renewable power generating facilities; requiring a report on certain programs to limit greenhouse gas emissions; granting rule-making authority, requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		9.00 (19%)		9.00 (13%)

Senate Bill 453

Relating to: requiring an insurer to make payment directly to a provider who provides the insurer with an assignment of benefits

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		0.00 (1%)		

Assembly Bill 665

Relating to: requiring an insurer to make payment directly to a provider who provides the insurer with an assignment of benefits

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		0.00 (1%)		

Senate Bill 469

Relating to: authority of the Public Service Commission over certain telecommunications utilities, telecommunications access charges, universal service fund contributions based on interconnected voice over Internet protocol service, tandem switching provider electronic call records, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		2.00 (5%)		2.00 (3%)

Lobbying Effort On Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

LRB 3123/1. The bill proposes a grant from the Department of Commerce to the WiSys Technology Foundation.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	0.99 (5%)			0.99 (1%)

LRB 3179/3346. Creation of Two-Tiered Captial Gains System.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	2.97 (15%)			2.97 (4%)

LRB-2962/2. Creation of Renewable Resource Credits

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	1.58 (8%)			1.58 (2%)

Other Matters

Includes time spent on:

- Gubernatorial nominations
 Matters on which the organization made no lobbying communication

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	3.37 (17%)			3.37 (5.04%)